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Subject: **FRESNO YOSEMITE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
APRIL 2006 PASSENGER STATISTICS**

TOTAL PASSENGERS

The total passenger count for Fresno Yosemite International Airport in April 2006 was 103,668. This reflects a significant increase of 14.6% over April 2005.

Three factors contributed to the higher passenger numbers: the new international service on Mexicana, additional flight frequencies through United Express and Allegiant to Las Vegas, and US Airways upgrade to an A319 jet on the afternoon Las Vegas route.

AIRLINE LOAD FACTORS

The average load factor for the month of April for all airlines is 73.6%. This represents an increase over March's 64.8% load factor. Mexicana led carriers with an impressive first month load factor of 94.1%, followed by Frontier with a strong 85.5% and American with 80.71%. United Express, Delta Connection, Horizon Air, US Airways, Mesa, Allegiant, and American Eagle completed the month with great load factors; 78.7%, 75.7%, 67.9%, 67.4%, 66.1%, 61.9% and 59.6% respectively.

AIRLINE MARKET SHARE

United Express carried 32.2% of all scheduled passengers at Fresno Yosemite International Airport followed by Mesa 14.7% with of market share and American with 12.1%.

TOTAL CARGO

Cargo activity remains steady. A total of 1,816,787 pounds moved through Fresno Yosemite in April. The bulk of cargo carried in April was by; Federal Express at 50%, United Parcel Service at 38% and Ameriflight at 10%.